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For: METHODS AND DEVICES FOR EVALUATING BEAM BLUR IN A CHARGED-PARTICLE-BEAM MICROLITHOGRAPHY APPARATUS

Enclosed are:

25 pages of specification, 7 pages of claims, an abstract and a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (unsigned).

☐ 15 sheet(s) of drawings.

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